



Interoffice Memo
Office of Design Policy & Support

DATE: 9/20/2021

FILE: P.I.# 0013924
Laurens County / GDOT District 2 - Tennille
SR 26 @ INDIAN BRANCH 5.2 MI SE OF BREWTON
Bridge Replacement

FROM: *for* *Dane Peters*
R. Christopher Rudd, PE, State Design Policy Engineer

TO: SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: APPROVED LOCATION & DESIGN REPORT

Attached is the approved Location and Design Report with Notice of Location & Design Approval for the above subject project.

Attachment


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SR 26 @ INDIAN BRANCH 5.2 MI SE OF BREWTON

DATE: November 19, 2019  for

FROM: Kimberly W. Nesbitt, State Program Delivery Administrator

TO: Office of Design Policy and Support via ConceptReports@dot.ga.gov

SUBJECT: Submittal – Location and Design (L&D) Report

The Office of Program Delivery hereby submits the attached Location and Design (L&D) Report for your review and approval.

If any additional information is needed, please contact Jeff Henry at (404) 663-8649.


KWN:CLB:SHP:DDC:JCH

Attachments: Preconstruction Status Report, Completed Location & Design approval request

cc: Honorable Don Grantham, Transportation Board Member – Congressional District 12
Bill Duvall, State Bridge Engineer
Brent Story, State Design Policy Engineer
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Location and Design Report

DATE: 11/19/2019

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "K. Nesbitt", is written over the text "for".

FROM: Kimberly Nesbitt, State Program Delivery Administrator

TO: Brent Story, P.E., State Design Policy Engineer
Attn: Dave Peters, P.E., State Conceptual Design Group Manager

SUBJECT: Request for Location and Design Approval

Description and Project Proposal:

This project is located approximately 5.2 miles southeast of Brewton, Georgia in Laurens County and will replace the bridge located on SR 26/US 80 (Savannah Ave) over Indian Branch. The project begins and ends approximately 0.1 mile before and after the existing bridge for a total project length of 0.2 miles. The typical section will be a two-lane rural section with a 12-ft lanes and 10-ft shoulders (4-ft paved). The proposed bridge will be a 95-foot long single span over Indian Branch and will have 8-foot shoulders.

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Concept Approval Date: 8/16/2018

Concept Update: N/A

Environmental Document: NEPA

Document Type: NEPA - Programmatic Categorical Exclusion **Approval Date:** TBD 8-25-2021

Public Involvement:

- The PIOH Detour Meeting was held on July 31th, 2018.
- Meeting location: Graham Memorial Nazarene Church Social Hall, 112 Graham Church Rd. East Dublin, GA 31027.
- The total number of comments received: 2
- Number of comments opposing or supporting the project: 2 conditional support.
- The total number of attendees including any public officials in attendance: 9 total, 1 public official.
- No project changes were made as a result of the comments received at the Detour Meeting.

Recommendations: Recommend that the location and design for the project be approved and that the attached Notice be approved for advertising.

Concur: Hinal K. Patel

 GDOT Director of Engineering

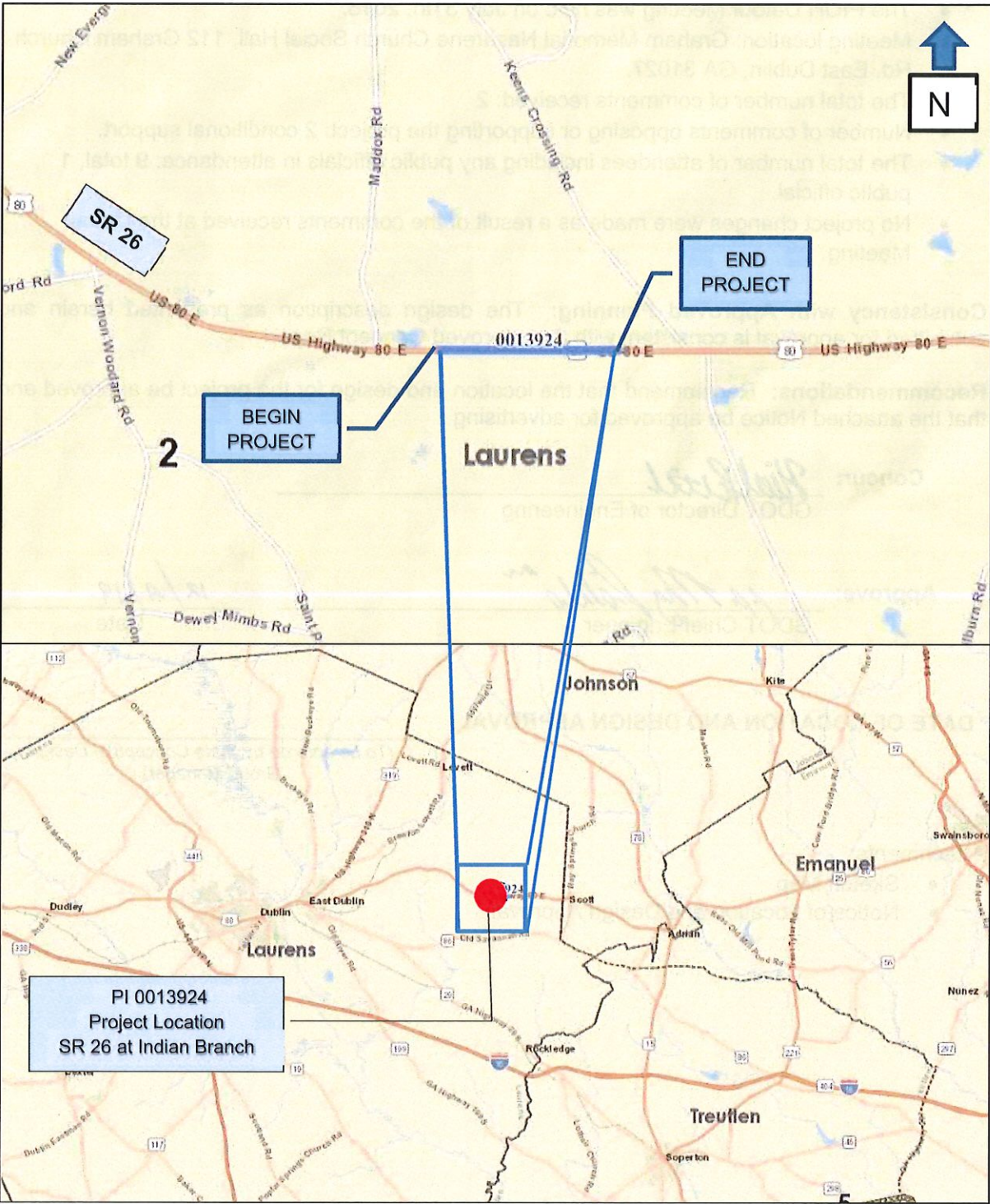
Approve:  12/2/19
GDOT Chief Engineer Date

DATE OF LOCATION AND DESIGN APPROVAL: *Dave Peters September 20, 2021*

(To be entered by State Conceptual Design
Group Manager)

- Sketch Map
- Notice of Location and Design Approval

PROJECT LOCATION MAP



PI 0013924 / LAURENS COUNTY
SR 26 @ INDIAN BRANCH 5.2 MI SE OF BREWTON

NOTICE OF LOCATION AND DESIGN APPROVAL

P. I. 0013924
LAURENS COUNTY

Notice is hereby given in compliance with Georgia Code 22-2-109 and 32-3-5 that the Georgia Department of Transportation has approved the Location and Design of this project.

The date of location and design approval is: September 20, 2021

This project is located approximately 5.2 miles southeast of Brewton, Georgia in Laurens County and will replace the bridge located on SR 26/US 80 (Savannah Ave) over Indian Branch. The project begins and ends approximately 0.1 mile before and after the existing bridge for a total project length of 0.2 miles. The project is located at GMD 1412.

The new bridge will be constructed on the existing alignment and traffic will be diverted to an offsite detour during construction for a duration of approximately 9 months. The offsite detour is approximately 5 miles longer for commuter traffic than the SR 10 route. There are local roads that local traffic can use to navigate around the bridge closure. The roadway will be a two 12-foot lanes with 10-foot shoulders (4-foot paved) and the bridge will have 8-foot shoulders.

Drawings or maps or plats of the proposed project, as approved, are on file and are available for public inspection at the Georgia Department of Transportation:

Clayton McCoy
D2, A2
cmccoy@dot.ga.gov
2003 US Hwy 441 South
Dublin, GA 31021
Phone: ~~(478) 278-4774~~
[275-6596](tel:275-6596)

Any interested party may obtain a copy of the drawings or maps or plats or portions thereof by paying a nominal fee and requesting in writing to:

Kimberly Nesbitt
Office of Program Delivery
Attn: Corey Jackson
Email: CoJackson@dot.ga.gov
600 West Peachtree St N.W., 25th Floor
Atlanta, GA 30308
[404-376-6618](tel:404-376-6618)

Any written request or communication in reference to this project or notice SHOULD include the Project and P. I. Number as noted at the top of this notice.